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**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : RIEPENHOFF  
Serial No. : 09/990,053  
Confirm. No. : 1467  
Filed : November 21, 2001  
For : IMAGING DEVICE  
Art Unit : 2861  
Examiner : PHAM, Hai Chi  
Dated : July 14, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136 (a)

Sir:

The Office Action dated March 13, 2003 provided for a shortened statutory period for response of three months.

The shortened statutory period expired June 13, 2003.

Since the attached response is being filed within the first month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) Examiner is respectfully requested to charge attorney's deposit account no. 13-0410 the appropriate petition fee of \$110.00 (fee code 1251).

Respectfully submitted  
for Applicant(s),

By:

John James McGlew

Reg. No.: 31,903

For: MCGLEW AND TUTTLE, P.C.

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SHOULD ANY OTHER FEE BE REQUIRED, THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IS HEREBY REQUESTED TO CHARGE SUCH FEE TO OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 13-0410.

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